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TAGS: MASS, PFOR, PINT, ET, US

SUBJECT: PROJECT MARENGO MIMI AIRLIFT

REF: SECDEF 151934Z MAR 75

CONSIDERING DELAY CAUSED BY DIFFICULTY IN OBTAINING OVER-  
FLIGHT/REFUELING CLEARANCES, AND ACTUAL AND POTENTIAL  
COMPETING DEMANDS FOR AVAILABLE CHARTER AIRLIFT RESOURCES,  
DEPT AND DOD CONSIDERING IT MIGHT BE USEFUL TO REVIEW AIR  
DELIVERY SCHEDULE PUBLISHED REF. A WITH VIEW TO DELIVERING  
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MAXIMUM QUANTITY IN MINIMUM TIMEFRAME AFTER OVERFLIGHT

CLEARANCES ARE OBTAINED. CONSIDERING CARGO HANDLING CAPACITY BOLE AIRFIELD AND POLITICAL VISIBILITY CREATED BY MORE FREQUENT ARRIVALS OF U.S. FLAG CARRIERS, REQUEST EMBASSY ADVISE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF FLIGHTS PER WEEK, TO INCLUDE TIME SEPARATION BETWEEN FLIGHTS, THAT COULD BE ACCOMMODATED AND WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE IN VIEW OF DESIRED LOW PROFILE. INITIAL PLANNING ASSUMED MARENGO MIMI FLIGHT COULD NOT REPEAT NOT ARRIVE CONCURRENTLY WITH MAC CHANNEL FLIGHTS. REQUEST ADVICE WHETHER FLIGHTS COULD ARRIVE ON SAME DAY, AND IF SO, WITH WHAT TIME SEPARATION.

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